

## **QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (QDC)**

### **INVITATION TO BID**

A BID is solicited for the following work:

Name of Project: Thompson Road Crossing Warning System

Description of Work:

The project involves safety improvements at the railroad crossing of Thompson Road including active warning lights and automatic activation of the warning lights along with associated roadway markings and signage. The project is:

- o Removal and dispose of the existing directional, warning, regulatory and street signs.
- o Furnish and install new directional, warning, regulatory and street signs.
- o Furnish and install railroad grade crossing warning devices.
- o Furnish and install non-bonded insulated joint assembly.
- o Furnish and install electric pole and meter box with fees.

Contract Number: QDC 2013-015  
Federal Aid Project #STP-0203 (128)

### **BIDDING INFORMATION**

Where Received: Quonset Development Corporation  
Quonset Business Park  
95 Cripe Street  
North Kingstown, Rhode Island 02852

Closing Date: Thursday, November 14, 2013 - 2:00 PM Local Time

Bid Form and  
Specifications:

A Project Manual (consisting of Bid Form, Form of Contract, Contract General Provisions, Contract Supplementary Provisions and Technical Specifications) and Drawings may be examined at the office where bids are to be received. A copy of these documents may be obtained, upon request directed to Mr. Edward Spinard, PE, Quonset Development Corporation, Quonset Business Park, 95 Cripe Street, North Kingstown, Rhode Island (Telephone No. 401-295-0044 ext. 238). Each paper request must be accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00 for each set of plans and specifications requested. This amount, payable by certified check or money order made out to the Quonset Development Corporation, will be refunded to all

unsuccessful bidders who return plans and specifications in good condition to the Corporation within the ten (10) days immediately following the bid opening. PDF electronic copies will be provided at no charge.

**Bid form for "Public Copy":** Each bidder must submit a "PUBLIC COPY" of their bid proposal to be available for public inspection upon opening of all bids. Therefore an original bid proposal and a copy of the bid proposal shall be submitted.

**Bonding Requirements:** Bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Guarantee in the amount of Twenty Percent (20%) of the Base Bid Amount. The Contractor to whom the contract is awarded will be required to post performance and payment bonds in the amount of One-Hundred Percent (100%) of the contract price. Bonds shall be executed on Engineer's Joint Contract Documents Committee format (EJCDC No. C-610, EJCDC No. C-615 or on comparable format which is approved in advance by the Quonset Development Corporation). The bonds shall be issued by a company that is acceptable to the Quonset Development Corporation. A minimum requirement for acceptability shall be that the Surety Company is currently listed on U.S. Department of the Treasury Circular #570 as holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as holding a Surety License in the State of Rhode Island. An appropriate Certificate of Corporate Authority shall accompany the required performance and payment bonds.

**Wage Requirements:** The attention of the bidder is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and wage rate to be paid under the contract. In conformity with the provision of Chapter 13 of Title 37 of General Laws, Rhode Island 1956, as amended and the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a).

**Equal Opportunity** Unless otherwise exempt, bidders must certify that they are in Requirements: compliance with applicable requirements of Federal Executive Order No.11246, as amended, State of Rhode Island Executive Order 85-11 and other regulations issued by the Quonset Development Corporation, or must agree to take steps to comply with such requirements prior to the award of a contract. This proposal is subject to Rhode Island General Law 37-14.1.

**Waiver and Acceptance:** The Quonset Development Corporation reserves the right to reject any or all of the bidders and to waive any informalities in bids received and to accept that bid which, in its judgment, best serves the interest of the Corporation.

**Information:** Inquiries regarding this invitation should be addressed to Mr. Edward Spinard, Quonset Development Corporation, 95 Cripe Street, Quonset Business Park, North Kingstown, Rhode Island (Tel. No.401-295-0044 ext. 238).

Inspection of Premises: Prospective bidders may examine the premises by calling Mr. Brian Reynolds for an appointment, at the Quonset Development Corporation Office, Development Services Division, 95 Cripe Street, Quonset Business Park, North Kingstown, Rhode Island at the phone number 295-0044 ext. 246, Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

Pre-Bid Conference: Thursday October 31, 2013 at 10:00 AM Local Time at the offices of the Quonset Development Corporation, 95 Cripe Street, Quonset Business Park, North Kingstown, Rhode Island 02852.

MBE / DBE Plan for  
Disadvantaged Business  
Enterprises:

The goal provided by the RI Department of Transportation for disadvantaged business participation or trainee hours is zero percent (0%) of the contract price.

QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Mr. Steven J. King, PE  
Managing Director

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